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United Church

Church School, 10:30 a.m.
A good place for boys and girls—it would be still better with the attendance of more adults.

Public Worship, 11:30 a.m.
This Sunday is June 10, the 3rd anniversary of the formation of the United Church of Canada.

A suitable message will be given by the minister.

Music will include a vocal solo.

Rev. N. W. Whitmore,
Minister

Miss Betty Duff has taken the position of teacher at a school, near Cessford, Alta., south of Hanna.

Municipal District of Acadia No. 241

Notice is hereby given that all arrears of taxes imposed in 1927, in respect of which no payment was made within the municipality, are not paid on or before the first day of July next, such taxes will be subject to the provisions of the Tax Recovery Act, 1922, with a view to obtaining certificate of title to land in the municipality in respect of such parcels.

Dated at Acadia Valley, Alta., this 23d day of June, 1928.

D. M. GRAHAM,

Secretary-Treasurer M. D., No. 241.

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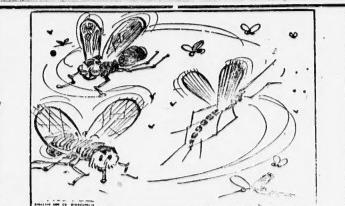
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News of Ministers

Some pastoral changes approved by the United Church Settlement Committee affect us locally.

Rev. N. W. Whitmore will take over duties at Wainwright, commencing July 1st. Rev. G. G. Pybus, of Wainwright, moves on to Daysland.

Work at Empress will be assumed by Rev. Geo. A. Shields, who comes out to Alberta from London Conference.

Rev. T. A. Bowen continues his pastorate at Islay (near Vauxhall) and Rev. V. M. Gilbert moves from Olds to Rockyford.

Rv. Chas. Pinder who spent a summer on the rural section south of Bindloss, continues his work at Pleasant Heights, Calgary.

Leland

Public worship at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

We shall commemorate the 3rd anniversary of the foundation of the United Church of Canada.

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Statistical Note

If all the people who were staying in boarding houses for the recent holidays were placed end to end they would reach out for a second helping

Screen's Smallest Actor

The screen's smallest actor donned grease paint for an important role in Douglas MacLean's unusual comedy "Soft Cushions" which will be at the Empress Theatre Friday and Saturday. It's a Paramount Picture.

The Mayfield ball team were visitors in Empress, Saturday, to play the locals. The result was an 8.5 win for the home-sters. Both teams showed lack of practice.

"What Happened To Jones?"

Large Audience Enjoys Very Pleasing Presentation

There was a very good attendance at the theatre, on Wednesday evening to witness the production by the Empress Players of the relishing farce, "What Happened To Jones?" and the audience looked with laughter. It was attractively presented. The character impersonations were excellent and the play went over with a bang.

The scene took place in the well furnished living room of Eugene'r Goody, a professor of anatomy. Obviously the professor had a difficult time to locate a place of quiet in order to prepare his lesson as his brother, the Bishop of Ballarat, was coming to visit him, and the two had not met for thirty years.

Naturally Eugene's wife was desirous of impressing the Bishop with her great ability in domestic management, but in so doing irritates the Professor, Marjorie, one of the Professor's charming daughters is engaged to Richard Heatherly, an apparently hawt less young man. Richard persuades the Professor to attend a prize fight. The police raid the place. The Professor and Richard, battered, and torn make a marvelous escape, but are followed by the inimitable Jones, a vendor of hymn books and playing cards. Jones, to escape detection by the police, dons clerical attire sent on for the Bishop, and the fun commences in earnest.

Gussy, the professor's pretty ward is more or less wise to Jones, but Marjorie and Minerva, and their mother take him for the real bishop. The arrival of the Bishop of Ballarat complicates matters for Jones, who is being sought for by the police and whose presence in the house is undesirable to the Professor and Richard. Alvin Starlight, an elderly spinster and fiancee of the Bishop makes things interesting for Jones, William Bigbee an escaped lunatic causes more insurmountable trouble. Helma, the Swedish servant girl is simple yet wise. Thomas Holden is an energetic policeman. Henry Fuller is Superintendent of the sanatorium. The play which abounds in funny situations made a big hit with the audience. The men 'o' the cast were:

Jones, reader for hymn book house, McNamee, Eugene'r Goody, professor of anatomy, Elmer Goody, professor of anatomy.

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Empress Team Take First Money At Burstell Sports

The Empress ball team "did business" when they hit out for Burstell on Monday, to contest for the ball money offered by that town at their celebration. The locals were not high on hopes making prize showing and the excursion was looked upon as an opportunity to get some excellent practice. A large number of fans accompanied the team. However, with some good old relatives packed away on the team, its unexpected that's likely to happen and it happened at Burstell.

Teams contesting were: Horsesham, Empress, Sceptre, Leader, Fox Valley and Burstell.

In the first frame, Horsesham and Empress were bracketed together, Brennan and McCune were the artillery for Empress with the ever reliable Eddie, receiving. The game was featured by a Homer by Billie Leach. The game lacked snap. Empress claimed the game 4-3. Horsesham's keeper claimed a tally of eight runs. After considerable argument, it was finally agreed to play on extra innings. Another run was added to the Empress score, and they took the game.

In the second frame, Empress were bracketed with Leader, who had trounced them badly on the previous Friday. With memories of this defeat ranking in their minds, the local hopes tightened their belts and got down to earnest business. With Brennan sizzling them across the plate to McCune, the Leaderites only gathered in 3 runs to 7 big ones by the Empress contingent off of Benson, the Leader hurler. It was a

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Richard Heatherly, engaged to Marjorie, W. W. Stobart,
Thomas Holder, policeman, N. Storey, Wm. Bigbee, inmate of sanatorium, W. Pawick,

Henry Fuller, Supt. of San., K. Hendry
Mrs. Goody, Eugene'r Goody's wife, Mrs. E. McCune.

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Leland Win From Mayfield

A baseball game between Leland and Mayfield on Wednesday, provided some exciting moments. It is some time since we have seen a Leland team in the field, and some of the old-timers appeared for the game. The weather kept to a minimum leaving the game well tucked away in the early stages. Mayfield allowed the peridot Lelanders to win a well-carried game by a score of 10-8. A large attendance of spectators witnessed the game. Weather conditions were not the best for good ball.

Heavy Thunder Shower Is Accompanied by Hail

The town was visited by a very heavy thunder shower accompanied by hail, on Monday. The storm was very narrow in extent, and covered but a small area of town. The precipitation was very heavy while it lasted and totaled .80 of an inch.

sweet success, and fans and ball players were keen for the final game with Burstell.

Burstall and Empress in the final game provided the thrill of the day. Grant and Carr were the Empress battery. This game with Billie playing air tight ball, developed into a tit-for-tat's duel. One long tally in the last half of the ninth for Empress, assumed gigantic proportions, giving them the game and first money. T. Kovach supplied this much-needed run. Singling to first, he stole second base, and came home on a hit by E. Tucker.

Alberta Fire Losses In 1927

Thirty three deaths and property losses totalling \$2,338,777.02 resulted from fires in Alberta during the year 1927, according to the recently issued report of Henry Brace, provincial fire commissioner. Fire waste from the burning of dwellings, stores, barns and garages amounted to over \$1,500,000., or 65 per cent of the total fire losses for the year, and it is pointed out in the report that practically all of these fires were due to carelessness in some form or other.

During 1927 a total of 736 fires, towns and villages in the Province were visited and inspected by officials of the fire commission's office and 637 orders were issued for the correction of defects. Convictions under the Fire Prevention Act during the year totalled 36 or 94.7 percent of those brought to trial.

Dairy Pool Buys Edmonton Creamery Plant

As the result of negotiations which have been under way for some time the Alberta Dairy Pool has bought out the interests and plant of the Edmonton Pure Butter Company, located at 9722 102nd Street, Edmonton. In addition to the plant, the Pool has taken over the services of the staff including C. E. Christensen, who will continue to act as manager for the Pool.



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For Humanity!

The world scroll upon which is inscribed the names of men and women who have rendered distinguished service to the cause of humanity contains no name more worthy of such recognition than that of Henri Dunant, the centenary of whose birth in Geneva, Switzerland, was observed throughout the world on May 22, 1912, this year, and who died the ripe old age of 82 years.

What service did Henri Dunant render to mankind entitling him to this honor?

As a young man of 16 years, tall, athletic and philosopher, he happened to arrive in the neighborhood of Solferino just at the conclusion of the battle which is known by that name, and which was waged between the Austrians under Francis Joseph II, and the Allied French and Sardinians. The opposing forces were of equal strength, the total of men engaged being something over 300,000. The armies met in the early morning and fought a savage battle all day long. In the afternoon, when the Austrians were forced to retreat, the losses were large, totaling 45,000.

Upon such a scene of carnage came Henri Dunant accidentally in the course of his journey for pleasure. Suffering and dying soldiers left on the field filled his heart with compassion and grief, but there was nothing he could do. His deepest sympathy was with the wounded, who, also a few hours before were in the pride of health and strength. Henri Dunant organized the neighboring villagers who did what little they could to cope with the gigantic task of ministering to those whose lives might still be saved.

But Henri Dunant did more. The vivid and terrible scenes he had witnessed so impressed themselves upon his mind that a year or two later he published his experiences in a small volume entitled "*Un Souvenir de Solferino*" (A Remembrance of Solferino), in which he advocated the formation of voluntary organizations to aid the army authorities in carrying out the national obligation of caring for the sick and wounded in future campaigns.

This result was the organization of the great world-wide Red Cross Society.

In this day and generation, with the events of the Great World War still fresh in mind, it is unnecessary to attempt any review of this international neutral, humanitarian organization. Suffice it to say that probably no other organization in the entire history of the world has done so much, or so completely commands the confidence and support of all peoples. The Red Cross flag and insignia is known and respected everywhere as a sign of absolute neutrality among warring nations, and the highest standard of self-sacrificing service to all suffering humanity.

Originally it was formed to care for the wounded in time of war, its primary object being the rendering and outstanding service during the Great War so as to impress the world confraternal with all the difficulties of after-the-war reconstruction of a well-nigh bankrupt civilization, that the Peace Conference at Versailles unanimously called upon the Red Cross throughout the world to remain organized and active, and undertake a comprehensive program of work in the promotion of health and welfare of all people.

To the Red Cross, therefore, in recognition of Henri Dunant was accorded the distinction of being the only organization, apart from Governments, recognized in the Covenant of the League of Nations, with the solemn obligation imposed on all nations joining the League to encourage and promote the organization of voluntary national Red Cross Societies, having for their object the promotion of health, the prevention of disease, and the mitigation of suffering throughout the world.

Today throughout the world, the Red Cross with its tens of millions of members, including all races, languages and creeds, is engaged in its mission of mercy. When Nature in a violent mood brings disaster upon a small community, or a Province, or a whole nation, the Red Cross is the first on the scene of an epidemic to break out, and the Red Cross and voluntary workers inspired by the heroic and humanitarian ideals of Dunant and Florence Nightingale, are active in the alleviation of suffering. Uttering, too, is the Red Cross educational campaign in the promotion of health and the prevention of disease. And should war again inflict mankind the Red Cross would be found better organized and stronger than ever to assume the burden of its responsibilities.

In the galaxy of the world's greatest humanitarians, Pasteur, Jenner, Lister, Forence Nightingale, William Booth, Curie, and others, the name of Henri Dunant shines brightly, while the sympathy which prompted him action on the bloody field of Solferino, and the inspiration leading to his conception of a great neutral volunteer organization in the cause of suffering humanity, continues to call forth the most splendid self-denial and service under the banner of the Red Cross.

Stocking Alberta Fishing Waters

A total of 1,621,675 potential game fish were distributed in Alberta fishways or developed in 20 years work by W. L. Lewis, Commissioner of Fisheries. The eggs, fry and fingerlings of Lake Trout, Cutthroat and Rainbows trout. In addition, nearly three million whitefish eggs were placed in commercial fishing waters in order to maintain the supply of fish for this growing industry in the province.

Timed By Hockey Clock

One of the electric clocks invented or developed in 20 years work by W. L. Lewis, Commissioner of Fisheries. The eggs, fry and fingerlings of Lake Trout, Cutthroat and Rainbows trout.

In effect, calling for the same accuracy in measuring time while members are speaking (with interruptions) in hockey games.

Textile Plant For Edmonton

Mill At Edmonton Will Convert Western Wool Into Fabrics

The construction of a plant in Edmonton by the Western Canada Woolen Mills, Ltd., will be completed during the coming summer, according to an announcement made recently. This project has been under an extensive search for suitable materials, the mill production is to be kept scheduled to include a range of fabrics including blankets, light and heavy tweeds, overcoatings, shawls, flannels and other types of cloth for which western wool is suited.

RICH, RED BLOOD A REAL NERVE TONIC

The Source Of All Nervousness Is Weak Tea

Many people, both men and women, find themselves run down through nervousness, tension and worry, and themselves tired, low-spirited and depressed. Their nerves seem to be constantly on edge, causing headaches and other nerve pains. All this comes from starved nerves. The use of tea, however, is a most poisonous sedative is a terrible mistake. The only real nerve tonic is a good cup of rich, red blood tea. It helps to relieve nervousness and run-down health. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills will take care of the nerves. The improved tea tones the nerves, improves the appetite, gives new energy and strength to those who are depressed, people bright and cheerful. Miss Irene Deacon, Mrs. No. 24, of the New York office, who a few hours before were in the pride of health and strength, Henri Dunant organized the neighboring villagers who did what little they could to cope with the gigantic task of ministering to those whose lives might still be saved.

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Faces Carved On Building

Likenesses Of Men Prominent In Chemical World Carved On New Structure

Faces of living men are carved in stone on the new million-pound building of the Imperial Chemical Industries, now in completion at Westminister Exchange.

One of the faces is that of the head of the concern, Sir Alfred Mond. All the other carvings are said to be skillfully executed likenesses of many men prominent in the chemical industry.

The sculptures around the building also includes figures of peacocks, which are said to be there as a symbol of incorruptibility, following the ancient tradition that the stele of Peacock is incorruptible.

Nation-Wide Famine. — There is scarcely a corner of this great Dominion where the famine is not. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil may have helped and profited and is helping to combat the famine here last year, and 300 will be built this year. There is an increase of 30 per cent. in the quantity of household effects being brought in by new residents. Electric oil apartments houses are rising almost daily and it can also be taken advantage.

Film Industry In Calgary

Production of the first of a series of British films for use under Great Britain's quota law will be started in Calgary next month. May 1. Local studios, including the one run by A. E. Cross, are backing the project. Noel Hart will be the director of the first picture, which will be western in its flavor.

There is no poisonous ingredient in Holloway's Corn Remedy, and it can be used without danger or injury.

Buying Foodstuffs

Saskatchewan Farmers Have Purchased Much More This Year

The Saskatchewan Agricultural Association advises that farmers throughout the province have purchased more registered seed this year than in any year in the past and that they are becoming more interested in grain production.

There has been a large increase in the number of tractors from United States points to planes in Saskatchewan this spring and the sale of motor trucks has greatly increased. Evidently farmers are becoming more and more interested in mechanical power.

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AFTER ALL There's Nothing To Equal

Zam-Buk FOR THE SKIN!

Recipes For This Week

(By Betty Barclay)

QUEEN GEORGIA'S CAKE

1½ cups shortening

3 cups sugar

3 cups flour

1 cup sour milk

1½ cups raisin juice

1 cup neclar raisins

1 cup nutmeg, salt, &c.

1 teaspoon baking soda

1 teaspoon cloves

1 cup flour

4 teaspoons baking powder.

Plump raisins, drain and chop, using a wooden spoon. Drain off water, add 3 beaten eggs and 1 cup white (save remaining whites for frosting), raisins, sour milk, and raisin juice. Combine with flour sifted with baking powder, soda, and cloves. Add 1 cup nutmeg, salt, &c. Mix well. Turn into a greased layer cake pan and bake 35 minutes in a moderate oven (325 degrees F.). Put together with boiled frosting.

JUNE WEDDING SALAD

Cover individual salad plates with crisp leaves of head lettuce. Place on these, strips of fresh or canned pineapple, one-eighth of a cup of orange juice, one-half cup of cream, and a small section of sweetened grapefruit pulp.

Toss with a wooden spoon. Add a little whipped cream and a dash of orange juice.

Top with a small section of

orange juice.

An ideal salad for wedding feast, or for a company dinner.

Record Building Activity

Building and construction contracts awarded in Canada during the month of April, 1928, totalled \$5,435,800 in value, the largest total for any month since the beginning of the year. In 1926, when \$7,100,700 worth of contracts were let, the total for April this year, \$10,962,300 was the total of contemplated work to the Dominion. This total is the largest ever recorded for any month.

The accumulative contracts awarded to date for the first four months of the year is surprisingly large compared with previous years. It now stands at \$123,647,100.

Calgary's Population

Calgary's municipal report on the city's population places the total at 72,500 this spring. The figures given by the 1911 census were 56,500, while in 1926, when \$7,100,700 worth of contracts were let, the total for April this year, \$10,962,300 was the total of contemplated work to the Dominion. This total is the largest ever recorded for any month.

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The summer season, now at hand, brings with it an economic ill that annually takes a toll of thousands of ill-gained dollars. It is the itinerant peddler who houses to house canvasses and those of his kind who travel from place to place plying their trade and imposing the credulity of the unthinking, offering bargains in this and that which most always turns out to be inferior merchandise sold at higher prices or in short means.

It is well to beware of these fellows and the plausible stories that they tell to engage the interest and confidence of their prospects.

They are of many varieties and with as many kinds of merchandise to sell.

Inferior articles of many kinds are passed about little and you during the summer. The automobile has been a great aid to this kind of cheaseness for after he has landed a few gullible prospects a day's journey will take him far

away and beyond the reach of the buyer who discovers that he has been victimized.

What better insurance can there be than buying from the home town merchant? If for any reason the article proves unsatisfactory he is ready and willing to correct the trouble and satisfy his customer. Not so with this peddler—he is gone to-morrow or yet to day if his chase gets too hot. He is not seeking to satisfy his customers—he is after the money alone. The home town merchant stakes his reputation and his success on his record for fair and honest dealing. He may be found at his place of business day in and day out, year in and year out. There is nothing elusive about him.

When folks want support and contributions for this and that, they know where to find him and he gives willingly and generously. Did anyone ever hear of the itinerant merchant contributing a single cent for the advancement of a local cause? There is one real way of insuring good goods at reasonable prices, one good way of getting good value for the dollar expended and that is to buy of the reputable home-town merchant.

Here and There

(20) Forty-five years of faithful service to the Canadian Pacific Railway were honored recently when George A. Fowler, president of the company, was presented by George Smith, a retired employee, with a purse of gold contributed by Mr. Fowler's colleagues in the ranks. Mr. Fowler's office is in Chicago in the United States and east of Fort William in Canada.

Fowler—a special train of 35 cars left for Vancouver and points en route the other day with over 11,000 consignments of washing machines and other household linens, trainload, the largest of its kind ever to originate in Canada, is from the Canadian Pacific's yards at the Canadian Pacific Railway as a special train, stopping at Fort William, Sault Ste. Marie, Sudbury, Edmonton and other centres, finally all the consignments were for rural communities.

Immigrants are beginning to pour through the port of Saint John and Montreal en route to Ontario and the West. In the last month the Canadian Pacific lines Montclare and Montreal recently, in the neighborhood of Montreal, the best type have been distributed. Among these were British farm horses, goats, sheep, cattle and under the scheme of the Canada Colonization Association and many more immigrants in during the next few months.

Toronto.—In accordance with his promise to Western Ontario tobacco growers, Hon. W. R. Mortimer, Minister of Agriculture, has consented to investigate all phases of the tobacco-growing industry, for which two of the best experts in the field have been named. The probe will extend to every phase of the industry, from seedsmen, growers, and others. The most important feature will be the effort to ascertain the best method of marketing the proposed co-operative marketing pool.

Port Arthur.—Eventually Canada will produce a 1,000,000,000 bushel crop of wheat, and the question is, how can we cultivate in finding a market for it?

Predicted Hon. T. A. Crerar, President of the Canadian Wheat Board,

and formerly Minister of Agriculture for the provinces west of the Great Lakes.

Referring to the recent development of Western Canada, Mr. Crerar said there was no country in the world that had made such a development had taken place in the past few years and there was no country having a greater potentiality.

In order to meet the increasing popularity of the Canadian Rockies among tourists, and also to aid in developing tourism, the Canadian Pacific Railway will run a quintet of trains across the Dominion from the Atlantic coast to the Rockies, Vancouver and Victoria this coming summer, known as the "Canadian Limited," "The Imperial," "The Toronto-Vancouver Express," "The Canadian Limited" and "The Pacific Express" from Chicago.

The Trans-Canada and the Mountain will be all-sleeping-car trains.

Vancouver.—"Maezie," the famous white Leghorn hen owned by the University of British Columbia at \$100.00, the world's champion layer with 351 eggs in a year, is proving a success for the University of British Columbia. Last year the sale of eggs from Maezie returned to the University \$2,225. Two of her chicks fed on the eggs laid by Maezie and to other poultry raisers, while another cockerel sold in New Jersey for \$100.00. The total amount realized on sale of pedigree British Columbian stock totalled \$7,223 for the year.

Here and There

(20) Quebec—Quebec is taking advantage of the Federal legislation of last year known as the Canadian Pacific Act, which provides for loans to pioneers whereby the Federal Government provides 90% of the money, the province 5%, and the borrower 5%.

This year, interest loans of \$1,000,000 destined for the west recently arrived on two of the liners of the Canadian Pacific fleet. There are 1,000 families in Quebec on the Mella, the majority being of British birth, thereby establishing a new colony in the agricultural decked at the Maritime Province ports this year.

A recent revision of the Customs regulations now enables importers to bring their vehicles, equipment or cameras into Canada without leaving a deposit on account of their value. The Canadian Customs officers at the border. At the present time the change in the regulations will be particularly有利 to the Pacific Coast, where golf and spring sports are in full swing.

Vancouver.—Over 100 men of various trades serving the ports of the Vancouver district will shortly have been laid by the Canadian Pacific Railway, according to a statement issued by the general superintendent of the district. The statement is designed to care of a steady and normal growth in trade through Vancouver and the Pacific Northwest, and a new grain movement which this year has reached the record of \$3,000,000 bushels.

John Watson, co-proprietor of the London Times with Major the Hon. J. J. Astor, arrived in Montreal yesterday morning to attend a meeting under the auspices of the National Council of Education. Mr. Watson will speak before a gathering over Canadian Pacific Railway lines and will make addresses in most of the cities of the West, being a direct descendant of the famous John Watson, to guide of this business since 1785.

On a long trip from Ontario to Brussels, Belgium, four mink-skunks lately have been obtained by Dr. S. M. Marburn bound for Antwerp. The final destination of these animals is to be a famous British Park, where they will form the nucleus of a muskrat farm. While handled by the Canadian Pacific Railway company during the entire voyage, the animals were fed two ounces of cod-liver oil and four ounces of carrots daily with water, once every two days.

Saskatoon.—"I believe I have found a wheat which, when planted in the ground, will grow like a 'Russian' plant," said Dr. Seager Wheeler, several times winner of international wheat awards. He went on to explain that although he was quite sure that the strain which he had selected from the Kikar strain would protect crops in the province from blight, he was not certain that the wheat would be absolutely free from rust under all conditions. However, based on the results of his experiments that even under the worst conditions, as at those of 1927, this wheat would never materially be damaged.

Chester White Hogs

It has come to the attention of the Department of Agriculture that the Canadian Pacific and Central United States Swine Company are working their way north and are now busy in the Blidford Valley, Stettler, Lethbridge and Cochrane. They state that the Company has the permission and endorsement of the Alberta Government to carry on their work here. It is believed that the Alberta Government officials have never called upon the Alberta Department of Agriculture to discuss the matter of bringing in and raising hogs in the province.

They have however registered under the Foreign Companies Act, by reason of which they can do business. This permit was issued by the Alberta Department of Agriculture and not from the Department of Agriculture. In order to secure a license, the chief thing to be done is to register with the Company to receive the following as follows: To apply for a license, an Agent resident in the Province; to give the location of its headquarters and address of its principal office.

Under the circumstances the Provincial Secretary's Department has no option but to grant the license when it appears that the assets of this Company are owned almost entirely in U.S.A. If it became necessary for any purchaser of Chester to purchase hogs to enforce terms of his contract with the Company, it would first be necessary to sue in Alberta; a Canadian judgment, however, would not be of much value without recourse to the courts of United States in an action upon such judgment.

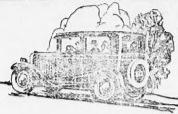
The Department does not approve of this breed of hogs coming into the Province, as they are distinctly of the lard

type, and Provincial and Dominion Governments have been trying to encourage farmers to raise the bacon type

hog because of the unlimited demand for bacon and the very limited and uncertain market for hard hogs.

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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

During 1927 the salmon catch in British Columbia totalled 1,360,364 cases, up from 1,344,550 cases.

The Prince of Wales has decided to use a fast army two seater plane to fulfil his engagements around the country.

Fifteen Royal Air Force planes have been lost in training accidents since the first of the year, it was announced in the British House of Commons.

Chain broadcasting from the Atlantic to the Pacific will be undertaken by the Canadian National Railways radio stations next fall.

George H. Ross, who came from Toronto in 1902 to organize British Columbia's schools at the request of Premier John Robson, is dead after a lingering illness.

Col. Charles A. Lindbergh has earned about 200,000 miles in his career as pilot, according to a record filed with the accounting branch of the commerce department.

With a view to promoting night flying in the Dominion the civil aviation branch of the department of national defence is planning a lighted airway along the St. Lawrence for 35 miles.

Captain Malcolm McKeown, veteran master of the steamer McKeown, has the double honor of having opened two ports this year, the Sault and the Great Lakes, securing two hats for his feat.

Workers digging at Old Fort Erie, Ont., uncovered the skeletons of three British soldiers and an Indian who died during the American siege of the fort in the war of 1812. Fragments of a small model rifle were also found.

Reports indicated that the four had been buried by the missile that killed them.

Co-Operative Wool Marketing

During Ten Years Of Operation More Than Thirty-Six Million Pounds Were Handled

More than 36,000,000 pounds of wool have been handled by the Canadian Co-operative Wool Growers, Ltd., representing the 10,000 men that it has been operating. This association is a agency serving the provincial and local associations in the provinces of Canada from Nova Scotia to British Columbia. In 1927 500 clips were handled by 16 local associations and delivered to the larger organizations for marketing. The 1927 receipts consisted of 3,625,315 pounds of wool and 11,930 pounds of mohair. The 1927 receipts of 41 per cent. came from Alberta, and 18 per cent. from Ontario, Manitoba, and Saskatchewan together furnished 31 per cent. of the total quantity.

In addition to marketing wool the association handles 100,000 pounds of stockmen's supplies, and manufactured worsteds. Total sales of these side lines for 1927 amounted to \$77,573.

Lawyer: Don't you think you are straining a point in your explanation?

Witness (a cook): Maybe I am, but you often have to strain things to make them clear.

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Science Discovering Secrets Of Leprosy

Caused By Bacteria Says Professor Of Tropical Medicine

Leprosy, the dread disease, which seems its victims into colonies of "The Living Dead," has begun to give its age-old secret.

There is evidence relative to the ancient scourge, tending to show it is caused by a definite bacterium and is not contagious has been gathered by one of the famous "crooked hunters" of science, Dr. C. E. Walker.

He Dr. E. L. Walker, professor of tropical medicine in the Medical School, Berkeley, Cal., who recently returned from a 14 months' stay in Hawaii, made extensive investigations of the cause of leprosy at the Molokai Receiving Hospital.

Although Dr. Walker made it clear his findings are only tentative, he predicted that if they are sustained by further research, it will bring about changes of great scientific, economic and governmental importance.

Here are the two conclusions reached as the result of his studies in Hawaii:

1. Leprosy is caused by a bacterium, the filaments of which are microscopic size, which thrives on living tissue of man, but which is found in the soil virtually everywhere in Hawaii.

2. These bacteria enter the body in cuts or wounds about the feet, and are not transmitted by the leper, despite the cry of "unclean," which has driven him as an outcast from society.

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Small Town Papers

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(Continued.)

ments like those, and the others which the newspaper gives especially, are doing a great deal to stimulate country editors to produce better papers. The "Winnipeg Register," in North Dakota, won the first prize in the current award for the best front page. That put the Eastern published in the lead, and the "Graphic," of New England, the "Advertiser," of Boston, won first prize in the newspaper contest, while the "News," of Monte Carlo, won second place, and the "Daily News," of Cleveland, third.

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These bacteria are powerful influences for the betterment of the country press, the others agreed, but two other speakers of journalism and schools of journalism as perhaps the most potent factor of all in the propagation of the disease.

"You didn't think that all this flock of boys and girls who are being graduated every year from our schools of journalism are going to go out and marry and have children?" asked Bert Mills, as I expressed my surprise at the number of young people who are engaged in journalism.

"I don't think that will be a rare sight," said Bert, "but I am afraid that the financial men of Toronto, that this would come about."

My question was, in turn proposed to Bert, the managing editor of the Royal Bank of Canada, Brampton branch, and president of the Brampton Board of Trade:

"Do I do agree with Mr. Mills when he says that a young man who is going to be a newspaper man is not a 'goat'?"

"Yes," said Bert, "the whole world is full of the cobweb, the ribald cobweb, and the corn-cob pipe, the ribald and the effeminate spittum which the male and female spitters do not like."

It is a ladylike boudoir nowadays by comparison.

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E. S. Senior Proprietor A. Hankin

Thursday, June 7, 1928

Dr. McNeill was a visitor to
Calgary over the weekend.Mrs. N. Bassarath and children,
were visitors to Calgary
over the weekend.Miss Kathleen Sexton returned from Medicine Hat, on
Saturday.

Frank and Art Scott made a trip to Regina the first of the week.

The Empress bell team were visitors to Leader on Friday last and took the short end of a one-sided score.

People from the neighboring districts were well represented at the presentation of the play on Wednesday.

The L. O. D. E. will hold a Sale of Home Cooking at F. G. Sanderson's store on Saturday afternoon June 9th.

The McQuinn Sisters are appearing at the local theatre next Wednesday.

Wednesday was a day of happenings and one of the most pleasant as far as farmers were concerned was a very heavy downpour of rain in the evening that apparently covered the whole district, giving all crops ample moisture for the time being.

Castle Coombe W.M.S.

Tho Castle Coombe W. M. S. will meet at the home of Mrs. Ferguson on Wednesday afternoon June 13th at two o'clock.

Mrs. Fowles of Neville, President of Presbytery is expected to give an address.

At the close of the programme a Basket Picnic will be held; all interested are welcome.

A large number from town attended the Sports at Burstable Monday.

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A little destructive criticism helps in a constructive way—"How to Go Broke Farming" is the title of ten rates issued by the extension division of the University of Tennessee, based on the truth.

This advice is a little different from that usually given farmers. Instead of the usual "don't do this," the university says, "do such and such if you want to go broke." Here are the ten rules:

1. Grow only one crop.
2. Keep no livestock.
3. Reject chickens and garden as nuisances.
4. Take everything from the soil and return nothing.
5. Don't stop gullies or grow cover crops—let the top soil wash away, then you will have "bottom" land.
6. Don't plan your farm operation. It's hard work thinking—trust to luck.
7. Regard your woodland as you would a coal mine, cut every tree, sell the timber and wear the cleared land out cultivating it in corn.
8. Hold fast to the idea that the methods employed by your grandfather are good enough for you.
9. Be independent—don't join with your neighbors in any form of co-operation.
10. Mortgage your farm for every dollar it will stand to buy things you would have the cash to buy if you followed a good system of farming.

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NOTICE is hereby given that unless all arrears of taxes imposed in respect of any parcel of land situated in Improvement District No. 182, 211, 212, 213 in the Province of Alberta are paid on or before the 1st day of July next, such lands will be dealt with under the provisions of the Tax Recovery Act beginning Chapter 102, Revised Statutes of Alberta 1920, which contains a certificate of title in the name of the Crown in the right of the Province of Alberta in respect to such parcels.

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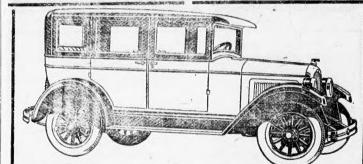
RAGNA, SK., June 1st.—The announcement yesterday that a million dollars will be spent by General Motors of Canada Limited on the erection of a manufacturing and assembly plant at Regina is a very practical form of the optimism which one of the country's largest manufacturers has for the future of the Canadian West.

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ness throughout Western Canada has made the establishment of the Regina factory a logical move. Chevrolet and Pontiac cars produced here will be marketed throughout the Canadian west.

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